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<b>Vidas, Arrett &amp; Steinkraus</b> <b>Utility Patent Application</b> <b>Transmittal</b>		Atty. Docket No	S63.2-9964
		First Inventor	Miller et al.
		Title:	Medical Devices Comprising a Multilayer Construction
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## Complete if Known

Application Number	Not yet assigned
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### 1. BASIC FILING FEE

Large Entity Fee Code	Small Entity Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
101	740	201	370	Utility filing fee	740.00
106	330	206	165	Design filing fee	---
107	510	207	255	Plant filing fee	---
108	740	208	370	Reissue filing fee	---
114	160	214	80	Provisional filing fee	---
SUBTOTAL (1)					\$ 740.00

### 2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES

Total Claims	Extra Claims	Fee from below	Fee Paid
25 - 20** = 5 X	\$18.00	= 90.00	
Independent Claims			
3 - 3** = 0 X	84.00	= 0.00	
Multiple Dependent	---	= 0.00	

Large Entity Fee Code	Small Entity Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Fee Description
103	18	203	9	Claims in excess of 20
102	84	202	42	Independent claims in excess of 3
104	280	204	140	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid
109	84	209	42	**Reissue independent claims over original patent
110	18	210	9	** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent

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Large Entity Fee Code	Small Entity Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
105	130	205	65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	---
127	50	227	25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	---
139	130	139	130	Non-English specification	---
147	2,520	147	2,520	For filing a request for <i>ex parte</i> reexamination	---
112	920*	112	920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	---
113	1,840*	113	1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	---
115	110	215	55	Extension for reply within first month	---
116	400	216	200	Extension for reply within second month	---
117	920	217	460	Extension for reply within third month	---
118	1,440	218	720	Extension for reply within fourth month	---
128	1,960	228	980	Extension for reply within fifth month	---
119	320	219	160	Notice of Appeal	---
120	320	220	160	Filing of Appeal	---
121	280	221	140	Request for oral hearing	---
138	1,510	138	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	---
140	110	240	55	Petition to revive - unavoidable	---
141	1,280	241	640	Petition to revive - unintentional	---
142	1,280	242	640	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	---
143	460	243	230	Design issue fee	---
144	620	244	310	Plant issue fee	---
122	130	122	130	Petitions to the Commissioner	---
123	50	123	50	Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q)	---
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581	40	581	40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	\$40.00
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179	740	279	370	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	---
169	900	169	900	Request for expedited examination of a design application	---
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**CONSTRUCTIVE PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME AND FEE  
AUTHORIZATION PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a)(3)**

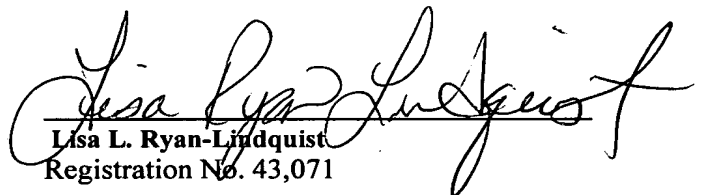
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Applicant authorizes the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to charge all required extension of time fees that have not otherwise been paid to Deposit Account No. 22-0350.

Respectfully submitted,  
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